

ARCADIA, YARMOUTH CO.—It gives me pleasure to inform you that the churches under the pastoral care of Rev. A. H. Lavers are enjoying a season of refreshing influence from above.

A number of others are expected to unite with Bro. Lavers' church next Sabbath. Thus the promises of God to his children are verified, at times and seasons when it seems best to Him.

The good people of Arcadia remembered their pastor in the tenth anniversary of his marriage by assembling at his house, and leaving with himself and Mrs. Lavers, substantial tokens of their regard.

Yours truly, ONE INTERESTED. Arcadia, Yarmouth Co., Feb. 4, 1881.

Marriages.

At New Germany, Dec. 25th, 1880, by Rev. M. W. Brown, Mr. Eli Ritcey, of New Canada, to Miss Jerusha Mackey, of Northfield, Lunenburg Co.

By the same, at New Germany, Jan. 11, 1881, Burket Chute, of Young's Cove, Annapolis Co., to Miss Sophia Oikle, of Springfield, Annapolis Co.

At Victoria, Wilnot, Jan. 26, 1881, by the Rev. Wm. E. Hall, Mr. John I. Phinney, to Miss Annie L., eldest daughter of Israel Miller, Esq., all of Victoria.

Jan. 29th, at Isaac's Harbour, by Rev. A. Freeman, Mr. Wm. B. Silver, of that place, to Miss Susan Dort, of Guysboro.

At Jordan River, Jan. 4th, by Rev. G. H. Goudy, Capt. Wm. Thorburn, of Jordan Bay, to Miss Priscilla Hayden, of Jordan River.

At Shelburne, Jan. 22nd, by the same, Mr. Abraham Crowe, and Miss Mary Hemeon, both of Sand Point.

At Sand Point, Jan. 24th, by the same, Mr. William Goodick, and Miss Cerethea Goodick, both of Sand Point.

At Barton, Jan. 22nd, by Rev. W. L. Parker, Mr. John Lambertson, to Miss Effie Morton, both of Barton.

By the same, Jan. 25th, Mr. Benjamin Sabean, to Miss Eliza Teabo, both of Weymouth.

At Ship Harbor, East Halifax, on Jan. 31st, by the Rev. Robert Jamieson, W. Charles Healey, of Spry Bay, to Miss Abbie Hunt, of Shoal Bay.

At Halifax, Jan. 26th, by Rev. Allan Simpson, Mr. Archibald Densmore, Shubenacadie, to Mrs. Sarah Blades, Gay's River.

Deaths.

On Tuesday, Feb. 1st, at Landsdown, Truro, Emily Ross, wife of Rev. R. Wainwright.

On Tuesday, 1st Feb., after a short illness, Mrs. Jemima Lacy, aged 95 years.

At Pleasant Bay, C. B., on the 22nd ult., Mrs. Andrew Moore, in the 33rd year of her age.

At Pueblo, Colorado, Charles Jamieson, aged 27 years, lately of the firm of Jamieson & Co., of this city.

On Feb. 2nd, William Gay, aged 62 years.

On Wednesday, Feb. 2nd, Mary, relict of the late R. W. Barber, in the 91st year of her age.

On Wednesday, Feb. 2nd, at the residence of Doctor Venables, Miss Ann McFarlane.

At Truro, Feb. 1st, Patrick Maguire, of Shubenacadie, aged 47 years.

At Guysborough, on Saturday, the 29th Jan., Thomas C. Peart, Esq., in the 68th year of his age.

At Hammonds Plains, on the 6th Feb., Maggie J., beloved wife of Mr. John T. Langille, aged 32 years, leaving a husband and 6 children to mourn the loss of a loving wife and mother.

Lost overboard from the schr. "Irving," of Isaac's Harbour, off Pictou Island, on the night of Nov. 29th, 1880, Asa Giffin, son of Capt. Spencer and Susan Giffin, aged 19 years. Though not an open professor of religion, he dared to pray in the presence of scoffing companions, and he is not, for God took him.

At Isaac's Harbour, Dec. 17, 1880, after a very short illness, William Shiers, son of Jacob Shiers, aged 21 years. Mr. S. is thus bereft of wife and eldest son, but has learned to say, "The Lord gave and the Lord hath taken away, blessed be the name of the Lord."

At Isaac's Harbour, Dec. 20, 1880, E. W. Davison, infant son of James and Mary Davison, aged six months.

Also, Jan. 27th, 1881, Isa W. Jones, son of Levi and Ann Jones, aged 1 year and 9 months.

Also, Jan. 28th, Moses Langley, in the 84th year of his age, in the sweet consciousness of pardon and assurance of a resurrection unto eternal life.

At Westport, Jan. 2nd, Mr. Daniel Bailey, aged 88 years. Bro. Bailey was baptized about 36 years ago by the late Rev. W. Jackson. In his latter days he was an active and consistent christian, and a prominent worker in the temperance cause in connexion with "Tyro"

Division, Sons of Temperance. The last few years of his life were spent in the quiet retirement of his own home, the infirmities of age preventing him from mingling in the public walks of life.

Suddenly, at Westport, Jan. 5th, Mr. Thomas Webber, aged 79 years, a native of Granville Ferry, N. S.

At Westport, Jan. 10th, 1881, Mr. Arthur Collins, aged 83 years. Bro. Collins was a native of St. Maroes, Falmouth, Cornwall Co., England. He came to this country about 62 years ago in the ship "Samuel and Jane," of London, G. B.



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